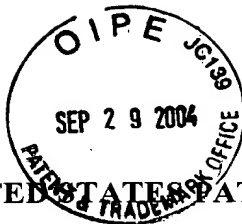


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**LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)**

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Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

- ☒ 1 Replacement Drawing Sheet ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ New Drawing Sheets
- ☐ Official Action dated \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Request for Drawing Correction in Red dated March 4, 2003

The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

Attached is a Replacement Drawing Sheet indicating a corrected Fig. 7 which now shows the proper gas propene " $C_3H_6$ " instead of the improper notation of ethyl " $C_2H_5$ ", a Drawing Correction in Red was filed on March 4, 2003 indicating this correction.

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

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